

powered TV etc. are being installed at village level in different districts all over the country.

[*Translation*]

Opening of Post Offices in Bulandshihar District (U.P.)

6864. SHRIMATI SHANTI DEVI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new post offices opened in district Bulandshihar, Uttar Pradesh during the Seventh Plan period so far; and

(b) the names of places the district where new post offices are proposed to be opened during the remaining period of the Seventh Plan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) During the period 1.4.1985 to 31.3.1989, 12 new post offices have been opened in Bulandshihar district.

(b) For the remaining period of the Seventh Plan, there are proposals for post offices in the following villages.

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1. Basendlku
 2. Verrkhera
 3. Paharpur Haveli
 4. Fatehpur
 5. Salamatpur
 6. Lodhai
 7. Torai Bacchi Khera
 8. Darveshpur

9. Chushrana Gail
 10. Gazipur Ginaura Nagali
 11. Khusalpur
 12. Girdharpur and
 13. Bhaiyapur
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[*English*]

Telephone Service in Bodella, Vikaspuri, New Delhi

6865. SHRI JAGDISH AWASTHI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the allottees of flats in a large number of Cooperative Group Housing Complexes in Bodella, Vikaspuri, New Delhi are facing great difficulty due to non-existent of telephone services in the area;

(b) the steps being taken for laying of telephone lines, etc. to provided facility of prompt shifting of their telephones to the residents of these housing complexes;

(c) whether Government have laid down any time limit for inter and intra-exchange shifting of telephones to avoid hardships to subscribers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) No, Sir. About 3000 telephones are already working for various societies in these areas.

(b) It is expected that a 20,000 lines digital electronic Exchange at Janakpuri would be installed and the capacity of Rajouri Garden Exchange would be expanded by